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New Jersey 2014 Vegetable Production Summary

Snap Beans production is estimated at 86 thousand cwt per acre, up 6 thousand cwt from the 2013 estimate. The average yield per acre is estimated at 33 cwt, 1 cwt above the 2013 average yield of 32 cwt per acre. Area harvested is estimated at 2,600 acres, up 1,000 acres from last year. The value of production totaled 3.29 million dollars, down 19 percent from 2013.

Cabbage production is estimated at 533 thousand cwt, down 6 percent from the 2013 estimate. The average yield per acre is estimated at 355 cwt, 25 cwt below the 2013 average yield of 380 cwt per acre. Area harvested is estimated at 1,500 acres, unchanged from last year. The value of production totaled 9.49 million dollars, down 2 percent from 2013.

Sweet Corn production is estimated at 540 thousand cwt, up 13 percent from the 2013 estimate. The average yield per acre is estimated at 90 cwt, 10 cwt above the 2013 average yield of 80 cwt per acre. Area harvested is estimated at 6,000 acres, unchanged from last year. The value of production totaled 16.8 million dollars, up from 14.1 million dollars in 2013.

Cucumbers production is estimated at 667 thousand cwt, up 16 percent from the 2013 estimate. The average yield per acre is estimated at 215 cwt, 35 cwt above the 2013 average yield of 180 cwt per acre. Area harvested is estimated at 3,100 acres, down slightly from last year. The value of production totaled \$14,941,000, up from 2013.

Bell Peppers production is estimated at 952 thousand cwt, down 25 thousand cwt from the 2013 estimate. The average yield in per acre is estimated at 340 cwt, 25 cwt above the 2013 average yield of 315 cwt per acre. Area harvested is estimated at 2,800 acres, down 300 acres from last year. The value of production totaled 29.5 million dollars, down from 27.6 million dollars from 2013.

Spinach production is estimated at 221 thousand cwt, down 13 percent from the 2013 estimate. The average yield per acre is estimated at 170 cwt, 25 cwt below the 2013 average yield of 195 cwt per acre. Area harvested is estimated at 1,300 acres, unchanged from last year. The value of production totaled 8.3 million dollars, down from 11.8 million dollars in 2013.

Squash production is estimated at 354 thousand cwt, up 5 percent from the 2013 estimate. The average yield per acre is estimated at 130 cwt, unchanged from the 2013 average yield. Area harvested is estimated at 2,700 acres, up 4 percent from last year. The value of production totaled 11.6 million dollars, down 13 percent from 2013.

Tomatoes production is estimated at 624 thousand cwt, up 6 percent from the 2013 estimate. The average yield per acre is estimated at 215 cwt, 5 cwt above the 2013 average yield of 210 cwt per acre. Area harvested is estimated at 2,900 acres, up 4 percent from last year. The value of production totaled 38.1 million dollars, up 23 percent from 2013.

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